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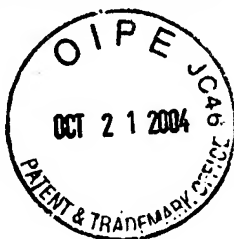
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Ikuo KAWAMOTO et al.

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Examiner: CHOWDHURY, TARIFUR RASHID

For: POLARIZING ELEMENT WITH LIGHT-DIFFUSION ADHESIVE LAYER AND
LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY HAVING SUCH POLARIZING ELEMENT
(as amended)

Atty. Docket No.: 020587

Customer No.: 38834

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 21, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2004 for a second month from September 24, 2004 to October 24, 2004. A previously submitted Request for Extension of Time has extended the period for response from August 24, 2004 to September 24, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$1,182.00 to cover the cost of the extension (\$320.00=\$430.00-\$110.00), the Request for the Continued Examination (\$790.00) and the additional claims (\$72.00). In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No.50-2866.

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